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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

8 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

9 Plaintiff,

10 v.

11 JASON W. MORTENSON,

12 Defendant.

CASE NO. 17-357

DETENTION ORDER

13 The Court has conducted a detention hearing under 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and concludes
14 there are no conditions which the defendant can meet which would reasonably assure the
15 defendant's appearance as required or the safety of any other person and the community.

16 **FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION**

17 Defendant is charged by complaint with bank robbery. The government proffered that the
18 robbery is not an isolated incident and that defendant committed seven more robberies over the
19 last fourteen months. Defendant was arrested in the Eastern District of Washington in August
20 2017 for bank robbery, detained, and then transported to this district to face charges that
21 allegedly occurred in April 2017 in this district. Defendant's apparent string of robberies and
22 willingness to travel to more than one district make him a danger and a flight risk.

23 It is therefore **ORDERED**:

(1) Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney General for confinement in a correctional facility separate, to the extent practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences, or being held in custody pending appeal;

(2) Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with counsel;

(3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the person in charge of the correctional facility in which Defendant is confined shall deliver the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

(4) The Clerk shall provide copies of this order to all counsel, the United States Marshal, and to the United States Probation and Pretrial Services Officer.

DATED this 9th day of November, 2017.


BRIAN A. TSUCHIDA
United States Magistrate Judge